

## OUTWITTED BY PATROLMAN,

Whose Vote He Contested, Challenger Slashed Him With a Knife.

Lexington, Ky.—Patrolman Adolph Meyers was attacked with a knife by J. Ira Bright, a ward politician, and was seriously wounded in the neck. Meyers is a native of Germany, who has been a resident of Lexington for more than a quarter of a century. Bright is a comparatively recent comer to this city. At the election Bright challenged Meyers' vote. The election officers, who knew Meyers, were satisfied to let him vote, but Bright persisted, and Meyers produced his papers. He then told Bright never to speak to him again.

Later Bright saw Meyers and brought up the election day affair. Meyers told him to go away, whereupon Bright slashed Meyers twice in the throat with a pocket knife. Bright was arrested.

## WOMAN THE LEADER

In Shooting Affray at Jackson, Recalling Fiercest Feud Days.

Jackson, Ky.—Not even in the fiercest of feud days was this town ever so badly shot up as Tuesday night. The disturbance was not confined to any one part of the city. Five shots were fired into the ice plant and two bullets struck the residence of M. Forbs. The glass front of Samuel E. Patton's store was demolished and a pistol ball was imbedded in the window sill of the home of James Lanter. A woman named Sugar Fouch was in the melee, and shot under the feet of some of the citizens who undertook to remonstrate with her. The people on Broadway kept in their houses, with darkened windows.

Hunting Discouraged By Farmers.

Louisville, Ky.—To protest against an invasion of the state, and particularly of Jefferson county, after the game season opens, farmers of this section met in mass meeting. The game laws go into effect November 15, and the soil tillers fear that dropping cartridges and powder may set underbrush afire. They will seek to have laws passed making carefulness with fire imperative or putting restriction on hunting in underbrush.

Family Escapes Cremation.

Frankfort, Ky.—Smoke blowing through the room in which Robert Reardon was sleeping awoke him in the early morning in time to prevent his family of 10 from being cremated. He gave the alarm to members of the family, and when they had put out the fire they found a pile of burned straw against the house that had been taken from a stack in the neighborhood.

Kentucky Towns Endangered.

Mayfield, Ky.—Miles of creek bottom near Boaz, north of here, are on fire. Every available man is fighting to keep the flames from entering that town, which has a population of more than 300 persons. The fire is only a short distance away, and the town is in grave danger. Fires are also sweeping over Clark river bottom, and the town of Kaler is in its pathway.

Reversal of Award of Damages.

Frankfort, Ky.—The court of appeals reversed the case of the Louisville Railway Co. vs. R. E. Buckner's administrator, and ordered a new trial, because the judge gave an erroneous instruction to the jury. Buckner was a street-sweeper in Louisville, and was run over and killed by a street car. Judgment for \$2,500 was awarded.

Will Unveil Goebel Statue in May.

Frankfort, Ky.—The Goebel monument commission decided to unveil the monument to the late governor in the state cemetery in May of next year. At a meeting of the commission in March the date for the unveiling will be fixed. The commission accepted the monument at a cost of \$15,500.

Night Rider Suit Closes Suddenly.

Newport, Ky.—Attorneys for W. S. Henderson, suing John Jett and others in the federal court at Newport for \$15,000 damages claimed because of injuries to person, property and business, resulting from a night rider raid at Augusta, Ky., caused the action to be dismissed without prejudice before Judge Cochran.

To Heat New Capitol.

Frankfort, Ky.—Arrangements have been made by the capitol commission to have the new capitol heated during this winter, to prevent the building from being damaged. The indications are that the state officials will not move into the capitol until next summer.

Wagoner Renominated.

Frankfort, Ky.—Representative Geo. C. Waggoner, of Pleasureville, Henry county, who introduced the famous county unit bill at the last session of the general assembly, has been renominated by the democrats.

Big Damage Suit Filed.

Lexington, Ky.—Suit was filed here against the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. for \$25,000 damages because of the death of Ernest Bailey, who was run over by an engine here November 7, 1907.

Inquiry into the conditions of rural and agricultural life by the commission appointed by President Roosevelt and headed by Dean Dailey, will begin in earnest this week with a hearing by the commission Monday at College Park, Md. The commission has mapped out an itinerary covering the entire country, and the next ten days will be spent in the South.

## ONE YEAR FOR SIX CENTS.

Mail Collector Heavily Sentenced By United States Judge.

Newport, Ky.—One year in jail was the sentence imposed upon former Mail Collector James Taylor, of Newport, by Federal Judge A. M. J. Cochran.

Taylor stole six cents from a mail box, which had been left in the receptacle by some person who did not have the stamps handy for his letters and who trusted the carrier to purchase the necessary stamps.

The statutory penalty for any offense against the postal regulations is very severe, and while Judge Cochran's sentence of a year in the Newport jail seems like a heavy dose, in reality it is light, as compared with what might have been imposed.

As it is, Taylor will have to serve 65 days in jail for each cent he stole from the mail box.

## RETURN OF TAYLOR

From Indiana to Kentucky Planned By Court Official.

Frankfort, Ky.—Gov. Willson will likely have to show his hand in the Taylor-Finley indictments in a short time, for Arthur Goebel and Commonwealth's Attorney Robert Franklin held a conference here, and it is understood will ask for a requisition on the governor of Indiana for them.

Gov. Willson made a statement a month ago that he desired the indictments taken up and tried or got off the docket by the first of the year. If the requisition is honored it is certain that the governor will demand that the prisoners be given bail, or he will probably not ask for it.

Commonwealth's Attorney Franklin will not consent to bail, but says they must be treated like other prisoners charged with murder.

Governor To Entertain Justice Harlan.

Frankfort, Ky.—Justice John M. Harlan and wife, of Washington, D. C., will be the guests of Gov. and Mrs. Willson Thanksgiving, and for the first time since Gov. Willson became chief executive the mansion will be the scene of a social function. Justice Harlan and Gov. Willson were formerly law partners.

Pioneer Citizen Dead.

Ludlow, Ky.—Franklin Cook, pioneer resident of this place, died, aged 82 years. Mr. Cook came to Ludlow from England with his parents when two years of age. He was a gardener and coal merchant and leaves about 15 children, all of whom are grown and in business.

Minister Combs Made Defendant.

Lexington, Ky.—Leslie Combs, United States minister to Peru, and Daniel Swiger, a Fayette county farmer and turpiner, were made defendants in an attachment suit by the Lexington City National bank on promissory notes for \$14,000, given in 1895 and 1896, with credit of \$2,000.

A Costly Spark.

Lexington, Ky.—Sparks from a locomotive ignited grass on the farm of John F. Price, on the Leestown road, and before men could beat out the flames with gunny sacks, 25 acres of grass on the Price farm and 15 acres on the farm of Z. T. Smiley had been burned over.

Justice Harlan To Visit Gov. Willson.

Frankfort, Ky.—Justice John M. Harlan will be the recipient of many social honors when he visits this city as the guest of Gov. Willson on Thanksgiving. He will be given a banquet by the judges of the court of appeals, and another by the Louisville Bar association.

Negroes Heeded a Warning.

Glasgow, Ky.—Negroes employed at a stove mill at McFarland, Monroe county, who had been brought from Tennessee, were warned by notices to quit work and leave at once. The negroes heeded the warning. They left at once for their homes in Tennessee.

Big Whisky Fire.

Louisville, Ky.—Whisky valued at \$125,000 and buildings worth \$15,000 were destroyed by a fire at Dealsville, in Nelson county. Two warehouses, two stock barns and several minor buildings belonging to the T. W. Samuels Distillery Co. were burned.

Special Judge Appointed.

Frankfort, Ky.—Gov. Willson appointed Judge Wm. H. Holt, of Oldham county, special judge of Whitley circuit court. Judge Moss is in the midst of a political canvass, and requested the appointment of a special judge.

Horseman's Widow Dead.

Lexington, Ky.—Mrs. Maltha Shanklin, widow of the former secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Breeders' association, who dropped dead at the beginning of the 1904 fall trots, died here.

Kentuckian Ends Life.

New York.—Walter H. Tappan, well known in the iron and steel trade of the south and middle west, who lived in Louisville, Ky., blew his brains out in the washroom of the Hotel Savoy, owing to despondency.

REV. I. W. WILLIAMSON TESTIFIES.

Rev. I. W. Williamson, Huntington, W. Va., testifies as follows: "This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble, and am free to say that Foley's Remedy will do all that you claim for it."

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## LET US HAVE PEACE.

Mt. Vernon, Ky., Nov. 7th, 1908.

"The Battle of Ballots" has been fought, the victory won, and so overwhelmingly in favor of "Taft" and what he represents, that there is no room for a squabble, over doubtful states, as was the case in the Hays-Tilden campaign of 1876.

In the defeat of Wm. Jennings Bryan, there is no ground for exultation anywhere. He stands for the noblest type of American citizenship. It does not follow that because he has been defeated any principle of popular government has suffered defeat. On the contrary, the main principle the underlying principle of a government of the people, by the people, for the people, of which he is a staunch exponent, was never more clearly set forth, than in the present campaign. Nor is Mr. Bryan anymore the exponent of the principle than Theodore Roosevelt.

Whether the president-elect William Howard Taft shall be stronger than the leaders in the national assembly opposed to the reforms proposed and set in motion by his predecessor, remains to be seen. Whether or not Wm. H. Taft can cause a revision of the tariff, as he has promised, also remains to be put to the test.

It would be preposterous to suppose that any adjustment of the tariff "up or down" will meet the approval of the extremists on either side, nor that will exactly suit both factions in either side, nor that will reconcile, nor that will exactly suit both factions in either party. There will be difference of opinion on this question, as on every other topic in our national politics, and the honest convictions of the leaders in politics usually formulate these differences, and make them principal elements in national politics and party platforms. Around these "planks" as they are called with the leaders standing on them are waged the political battles fierce and strong and any argument that has any semblance of truth and some that have none are injected into the speeches and campaign literature for all they are worth. So the result is, in almost every election we have a campaign of education, that reaches the humblest, and least informed voter in the country in some measure, while the people who can read and think for themselves, may choose as between the policies of the various parties now represented.

The most remarkable part of the campaign just closed is the fact, of such similarity in the policy outlined in the national platform of the two great parties respectively. Too much space would be required to give in detail the agreement or differences of the two platforms only in a general way to affirm that practically the Democratic platform and Mr. Bryan in his speeches pledged the good faith of the Democratic party to carry out the most important of the reforms begun by the Republican party under McKinley's and Roosevelt's administration. Whether or not the laws pertaining to inter-state commerce, are just and wise remains to be seen. Whether the combination of capital called "Trust" is an unmixt evil has not been proven. It is not denied, it cannot be successfully denied, that the corporations have enabled the public, to secure better articles, and cheaper, according to quality than was possible in the good old times. It cannot be denied that under the Protective system the United States has become the leading nation in agriculture, manufactures and commerce and a world power, looked up to and respected by every nation on the globe. It does not follow however that the same result might not have been attained in some other way under democratic rule. The progress of the United States since their independence and consolidation into a Federal government, has been onward and upward and if you please, the greatest expansion, as a result of war occurred under a democratic administration and next to the Louisiana purchase, a peaceable transaction, the greatest expansive movement in its history. In closing this subject it may be said that not

withstanding the defeat of Mr. Bryan there was no defeat to what ever principle he advocated that was vital to interests of American citizenship.

Since his first campaign great changes have arisen in American politics amounting to a revolution in which the masses led chiefly by President Roosevelt are arrayed against the monopolistic tendencies of various combinations of capital designated by him as "predatory wealth" or the combination of capital in restriction of trade. The department of commerce and labor has been created, and with it the great question of regulating interstate commerce. A question practically new, in our history, no wonder then that men differ in degree, and manner of meeting these great questions affecting the interests of every citizen of the nation. Aside from some half truths circulated, for the purpose of defeating or insuring the election of either the campaign was remarkably free from personal abuse, and vituperation, headed as each ticket was by, grand men, honest men, either of which would make an honorable respectable president of the great and grandest nation on earth. Hurrah! for our free country. God save our presidents. Let us have peace.

J. W. VANWINKLE.

## HOW IS YOUR DIGESTION.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in the case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market to-day." This great tonic and alterative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. Soc. at Chas. C. Davis' drug store.

## LEVEL GREEN.

The election passed off quietly here and were it not for the happy and exceedingly "prosperous" times which our friends have so generously given us, we would soon forget there was an election at all.—There will be a series of meetings at Popular Grove Baptist church, beginning Sunday the 15th inst.—Grover C. Price expects to return to Medical college, Louisville the 14th as a senior. The young doctor will be accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. Overton Bullock of this place who had been lingering for some months past with consumption, passed away the 3rd and was interred at the Chapel cemetery Wednesday.—The long drought has been broken by a two days continuous rain here, which the farmers gladly receive.—John Mullins, of Mt. Vernon visited parents here Sunday.—Quite a number of our church going citizens have been attending the services at Freedom, conducted by Rev. A. J. Pike, of Brodhead.—We are amused to learn that Republicans who had mules to sell before the election, at \$30 a piece in case Bryan was elected are now trying to give them away and can't.

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Census reports show that 8,199,784 bales of cotton were ginned in November 1. The gineries numbered 26,295.

## PINE HILL

J. E. Woodall was in our little town Monday.—W. H. Cottengim is in Corbin on business this week.

—Frank Lay who has been confined to his bed for a few days is some better.—Miss Minnie Falin, of Cove is visiting her brother L. G. Falin of this place.—The people of this place organized a literary society Friday night, nominating John McFerron as president and of course John will make it prove a success.—Everything is hustling in our little town, some loading fire clay, some cord wood others coal and spokes.

W. H. Carmical and family, of Mt. Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Sams Sunday.—David Cottengim while working in the sand quarry at Sinks Saturday fell about twelve feet and a stone about eight feet square and three feet thick fell as he did landing on his right arm and shoulder, although he is not seriously hurt nothing only sprains and bruises.

—Willie Adams, of Cove is studying telegraphy at this place under L. G. Falin.—Mrs. Tom Manuel has returned after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in Crab Orchard.—Frank Halcomb has a smile all over his face here of late but no one wonders why.—Dr. W. J. Childress was up from Livingston Tuesday to see Davis Cottengim and says he is getting along fine.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church Sunday by Bro. Jones.—Mrs. Geter Falin was in Mt. Vernon shopping Saturday.—Pierce Cottengim has returned home from Cary where he has been digging coal.—O. J. Mullins from Level Green has been jockeying among our boys this week.—"Mose" Parks the hustling representative for Otis & Co., was with our merchants this week.—"Old Uncle" Wm. Roberts on election day before he started to vote for Bryan caught him a ground hog for dinner putting it under a kettle till he returned but on returning he found his ground hog was gone so he was left in sorrow his ground hog and vote both lost.

## SEVEN YEARS OF PROOF.

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## THE AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.

The decision by a vote of four to one of the Judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, sitting at New York, that the American Tobacco Company is a combination in restraint of trade, is the biggest thing yet accomplished by the Government in its fight on corporations that make a practice of violating the Sherman act. The case is still to go to the Supreme Court, there to be decided on the law and the evidence; for, despite Mr. Roosevelt's efforts to destroy popular confidence in the integrity of that court, belief that it will weigh fairly and decide justly has not been shaken. The hope, however, that the Supreme Court will sustain the decision of the Circuit Court seems not unreasonable. The case against the American Tobacco Company has been prepared and argued by Mr. Reynolds for the Government with less of a desire to make political capital than to establish his contention in the minds of the Judges that the tobacco trust is operating in restraint of trade.

In no section of the country will the further progress of the case be watched with greater interest than in Kentucky, since with the Supreme Court rests the power to give the release from lawlessness that is no longer hoped for from the State.—Louisville Times.

## LIVINGSTON

Miss Bessie Mullins, of Mt. Vernon is the guests of relatives here.—Mrs. W. J. Childress and children visited her parents in the country last week.—Dispatcher Quiggins and wife were in Louisville last week.—Mrs. Annie Quinn and children, of Paris are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hayes.—Mr. Dave Williams, of Mt. Vernon was in town on business Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. N. Riggs were in Cincinnati last week.

Rev. Campbell and Rash are holding a series of meetings at the Christian church.—Dr. W. J. Childress has sold his drug store to Charlie Whitehead, of Va.—Rush Johnson is in town this week.—C. E. Kice, of Lebanon Jct., spent a few days with his mother this week.—Rev. Ogle filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. J. E. Woodall was in Hazel Patch last week.—Mrs. Mary Helton, of Brush Creek is visiting her daughter Mrs. E. J. Anderson.—Miss Myrtle Payne, of Corbin is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Smith.

Miss Rosie Moore died at the Pope hotel of pneumonia fever, and was buried at the Overbey cemetery.—Mr. James McGuire attended the burial of his son-in-law Mr. Dud Rowlet at Richmond.—Miss Cora Wright was here from Sue Bennett Memorial School, London, Saturday and Sunday.—Mrs. J. T. Chewning and Mrs. Clara Hayes entertained a host of friends at their homes on Main street last week.

## MEN PAST SIXTY IN DANGER

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Echoes of the national presidential campaign will undoubtedly be heard at Denver this week, in the national convention of the American Federation of Labor. The espousal by President Samuel Gompers of Mr. Bryan's cause will be criticised by some members of the federation and the matter will certainly be discussed to some extent.

## THOS. CALE, OF ALASKA, MEMBER OF U. S. CONGRESS

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THERE is talk in West Virginia to the effect that Senator Elkins will not be returned to the Senate. But the thing that is troubling the Senator is not the election but will the Duke d'Abruzzi have the spunk to defy the Dowager Queen of Italy and marry his daughter whether or no.

SOUTH DAKOTA has voted away a \$600,000 annual income and the glory of her divorce courts. Where is the state now that will come to the rescue of the slightly married and reap the reward of gratitude and a full treasury.

FIVE years ago the sales of automobiles amounted to \$8,000,000 annually. For the past year they reached the sum of \$100,000,000, all of which shows how increasingly eager people are to buy trouble.

NAT GOODWIN, the well known actor, has just married Edna Goodrich. As this is his fourth marriage and he has a record of three divorces it must be admitted that not all women are cowards.

Now that the campaign, the speculating, the voting, the congratulations, and the shouting are all over it must give Mr. Taft a bad taste to think of those promises about tariff revision.

A St. Louis woman wants a divorce because her husband has given her only one hat and one dress in twenty years. There is no justice in the courts if she does not win a suit this time.

MR. WILLIAM COREY did not attend his sister's wedding but he sent a check for one hundred thousand dollars. This is the kind of absence that makes the heart grow fonder.

THE gunning season in Maine is scarcely opened and there are nine hunters killed already. It is clear that it is going to be a great season for game.

It must be consoling to Senator Thomas Collier Platt to see that the people believe that it will take a man like Root or Roosevelt to fill his seat.

It is all officially arranged that Mr. Roosevelt will become an editor. How long he will remain satisfied to be heard from but once a month remains to be seen.

A correspondence school would seem better suited to his tastes.

## NEWS ITEMS

The contract for the erection for a new building of the Old Fellows' Orphan Home at Lexington was let yesterday. It is to cost \$55,000. Assurances were received at Augusta, Ga., Wednesday that President elect Taft will arrive there December 15 for a couple of months stay.

Nine men lost their lives in the collision of two Union Pacific freight trains at Borie, Wyo., and in a fire which broke out in the wreckage.

The Society of the Army of the Tennessee, organized in 1865, with permanent headquarters in Cincinnati, held its thirty eighth reunion at St. Louis November 11 and 12.

A mortgage deed for 70,000 was placed on record in Honolulu Wednesday by former Queen Liliuokalani, the deed being executed in favor of Claus Spreckles and W. G. Irwin.

William Forsythe, of Gaen ville, Ky., private in the Seventeenth Recruiting Company, located at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, is dead. He was the victim of a fractured skull.

Western preacher has written an open letter to William J. Bryan urging the Nebraskan to become an evangelist, and predicting he would become an equal to the Apostle Paul.

The Supreme Court of the United States handed down a decision Tuesday upholding the Kentucky statute requiring the separation of the races at schools. Justices Harlan and Day dissented. The decision was in the suit brought by Berea College.

Initial steps for the construction of another monster battleship for the American navy were taken Tuesday when proposals for its construction were opened at the Navy Department. This will be known as battleship No. 31, and already has been designated by the President to be called the Utah.

As agent for the Democratic State Committee of Indiana yesterday discovered a mistake of 100 votes at Evansville in favor of Hall, the recent Democratic candidate for Attorney General, who was defeated on the face of returns, by Bilheimer, the Republican candidate, by a small plurality.

According to advices received at Copenhagen there is reason to believe that the body of Prof. S. A. Andree, the Arctic explorer who in 1897, attempted to reach the North Pole in a balloon, was found on the coast of Labrador. The captain of an American schooner is said to have found in a desert a cross marked "Andree" and under it the remains of a man.

E. M. Morgan, postmaster of New York City, was shot and seriously wounded in the abdomen by Eric Mackey, who committed suicide as soon as he saw his victim fall. The postmaster's life was saved by his 14-year-old daughter, who was with him, and who knocked the would be assassin's weapon aside. Mackey left a letter in which he said that powerful men had control of affairs and he had picked Morgan as the man who had done the greatest injury to him personally. Mackey shot a man in Massachusetts several years ago and was sent to an insane asylum, from which he escaped.

Former Senator Edward Ward Carmack, editor Tennesseean was shot and killed at Nashville Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock by Robin Cooper, a son of Col. Duncan B. Cooper. Mr. Carmack was going north on Seventh avenue in front of the Polk flats and Col. Cooper and his son, Robin were approaching Seventh avenue on Union street. Soon after they came in sight of one another the shooting began, Robin Cooper, it is said, fired three shots and Senator Carmack twice.

Col. Duncan B. Cooper drew his pistol, but did not fire. Senator Carmack fell to the ground, dying instantly. Robin Cooper was shot in the right shoulder, but was not badly hurt. The trouble is one of the results of the recent Democratic gubernatorial primary in which Carmack was defeated.

## BRODHEAD.

Brodhead can boast of having one of the greatest sportsmen in the country in the no less person than W. Alex Tyree. On Saturday in less than two hours he caught 42 lbs. of fish and only two months ago in the piney woods section of Laurel county he shot and killed 2 bears—Hiatt B. B. team defeated Wildie by the score of 13 to 2.—A series of meetings are being conducted at the Baptist church by Rev. C. C. Wilson.—Chas. R. Pike is at home for a few days from Knoxville.

Mrs. J. W. Brown, of Mt. Vernon spent Sunday in our city, he guests of Mrs. J. Thos. Cherry.—Dr. O. O. Stone, M. B. Bowling and Mont Roberts attended the oyster supper given by the masons at Crab Orchard, Monday night.—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hutcheson were here from Friday until Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutcheson and Dr. and Mrs. Gravelly. They were enroute to Burnside where Herndon takes the cashiership of the First National Bank at that place.—J. E. Wallin has returned to Oakdale Tennessee after spending a few days with his family here.—The masquerade ball given by the Young Men's Club was a great success in every respect.—Wedding bells to ring twice Christmas. Now gossipers get busy and go to telling who it is.

Senator-elect W. O. Bradley, Congressman John W. Langley, J. B. Bennett and D. C. Edwards and Postmaster Frank Fisher have formed a combination to control Federal patronage in Kentucky. Senator Bradley will, of course be the most influential of the group, but all have agreed to stand together, and applicants without their indorsement will stand little chance of getting any of the pie.

President Roosevelt has issued invitations for a notable "labor legislation" dinner to be held at the White House Tuesday November 17. The guests will include many national labor organization chiefs, several prominent judges and executive officials, but it is understood President Gomper's Secretary Morrison, Vice President O'Connell and Treasurer Lennon, of the American Federation of Labor, are not included.

Attention of the morbid will return now to the so called "death farm," of Mrs. Belle Guinness just outside of Laporte, Ind., where upward of a dozen persons me mysterious deaths, supposedly at the hands of Mrs. Guinness. The gruesome place passes again into the field of public notice by reason of the trial, beginning Monday, of Ray Lamphere, Mrs. Guinness' farmhand, accused of having set fire to the house and thereby having caused the death of Mrs. Guinness and her children.

The American fleet, reunited at Manila, will remain there until December, occupying itself largely with target practice.

In New York City, referee Franklin Ferriss will resume the taking of testimony in the Government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

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## RIDERS BURN STORE

Of Kentuckian Who Sent His Niece to Reform School.

Owingsville, Ky.—The general merchandise store and tobacco barn of Jacob McClure was burned at Sherburne, this county, by night riders. McClure had sent a niece who was making her home with him to the Reform School last spring and feeling has since been very bitter against him. Mr. McClure had received several notices signed Night Riders stating that he had too much property at stake to meddle in other business. The loss is \$12,000, with no insurance.

## KENTUCKY FEUD

And Eight Barrels of Election Whisky Result in Killing.

Lexington, Ky.—As a result of a feudal war at Campion Junction, about 20 miles west of Jackson, Islow Allen aged 20 years, was shot and killed Alvin Garver, aged 22 years, was badly injured, and Clarence Sherman, who had the shooting, was shot in the head but escaped to the mountains. Eight barrels of whisky shipped into town for election brought on the trouble. Although family troubles of long standing played a prominent part.

Farmer Injured in Runaway. Newport, Ky.—Charles Dodswoth, member of the Campbell county Republican executive committee and well-known farmer of the Coldspring district, southeast of here, was seriously injured in a runaway accident near his home. While driving down what is known as the D.D. north hill the team of horses became frightened and started to run away. Then almost at the bottom of the hill he was struck a gully in the road and threw Dodswoth head first to the ground. His collar bone was broken and he was otherwise injured. His condition is serious.

Important Decision. Frankfort, Ky.—In reversing the judgment of the Fayette Circuit Court in the case of Ascher Brunton against Sarah Brunton, of Cincinnati, the Court of Appeals in an opinion by Judge Carroll holds that if a wife or a husband abandons the other, living in different states, the time required by the statute on divorce should be granted notwithstanding service is not secured on the party sued.

Knives and Pistols Were Used. Lexington, Ky.—Word was received here of a clash between feud factions in Standing Rock creek, in Wolfe county, between the Hall and Ashley factions, in which two of the Hall boys were shot; one fatally, the other seriously, and one Ashley was fatally stabbed. Two of the combatants were arrested. The Halls were armed with knives and the Ashleys with pistols.

Kentuckian Is Stabbed. Owensboro, Ky.—The campaign in Owensboro closed in a blaze of red ink and a sound of martial music. The democrats and republicans held monster meetings. After the speaking one enthusiastic young man cried: "Hurrah for Taft!" In an instant he received several cuts with a knife and is now lying in a drug store receiving medical attention.

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## PERSONAL

Buck Sowder has gone back to brakeing.

J. C. Adams has been very sick for the past week

Mr. Lige Boreing is reported in a very seerious condition.

Born to the wife of Earnest Thompson a fine boy baby.

Supt. G. M. Ballard spent several days in Danville this week.

S. B. Ramsey will soon begin another residence on West Main.

Mrs. M. B. Salin is visiting Mrs. J. W. Hutcheson of Brodhead.

Mrs. Fred Hahn was reported very sick this week, but better at this time.

W. A. Carson will move to the Winkler farm near Broadhead, so we are informed.

Mr. Isaac Williams, of Laurel county, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. R. Asher.

R. B. Sams has moved from Livingston to Pine Hill and engaged in business.

Mr. Joseph Surber, of Junction City, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. S. C. Davis

Cashier M. B. Salin and Judge Bethurum are in Cincinnati buying furniture for the new bank.

W. M. Bullock the Hansford, merchant spent several days in Louisville this week buying goods

Mrs. Eliza Parks will leave tomorrow for Barboursville to visit her brother Dr. G. H. Albright.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wallin came yesterday to spend a few days with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Davis

Mrs. M. C. Owens, of the Freedom section, is very low and we understand that there is no chance for her recovery.

Mrs. A. Pennington and little grand daughter, Cleo, are here visiting her daughters Mesdames Neal Parrott and W. H. Brown

Rev. J. W. Masters will not fill his next regular appointment at the Christian church and spoke as though he would not be back to Mt. Vernon more than once this year.

Elmer Houk has returned from Indiana and is again located at Mareburg, purchasing the farm of his father-in-law Mr. S. H. Martin, including the residence which Mr. W. A. Carson has been occupying.

L. T. Welch, the handle man, has not been able to do any sawing for several weeks on account of water. He says, however, that he is getting in a fine lot of timber and will have no cause for delay when the rains do come.

Charlie Whitehead, who has purchased the Livingston Drug Co's store at Livingston, was in town yesterday looking after some business matters. Charlie is a fine fellow and a good druggist and we sincerely hope him much success in his new location.

## LOCAL

Mr. Luther Cummins and Miss Ida Arnold were married last week.

Marriage license was issued to Henry Henzman and Miss Gladis Daniels last week.

PICTURES.—Over the People's Bank you can have your pictures made. Good work at reasonable figures.

Oct. 23-24. FRED OWENS.

W. B. Dillingham & Co., and the Halcomb Co., have each done well their canning outfits this year. Both plants are located at Mareburg and we understand will be operated on a much larger scale next year.

The Court of Claims was in session Monday until Wednesday, and about the usual amount of claims were allowed.

Shella Fuqua and Frank Mullins have purchased the livery stable of J. C. Adams and have added several new rigs to the outfit.

This office will have ready for distribution next week, the minutes of the Baptist Association, held near Boone in September.

We are glad to know that the growth on Mr. S. H. Martin's neck, proved to be only a carbunkle and not a cancer as he at first feared. He is about well.

"The Old Maids Conference" by The Willing Workers, will be given at the Court House Thanksgiving evening. If the title indicates the real character of the play, there is no doubt but that it will be worth seeing.

The laying of brick on the new bank building for the Peoples Bank, was begun yesterday. Mr. R. H. Casey, the contractor, agrees to have the building ready for occupancy by Dec. 15.

The new steel bridge across Roundstone near Orlando, is now under construction. The Fiscal Court intended to go Wednesday to inspect the bridge, but were prevented because of the inclemency of the weather.

Mr. Henry Brantman lost about five hundred pannels of fence last Sunday and Monday caused by forest fires. Considerable damage was done and many of the farmers have been made to suffer because of these fires.

William Rowe, of Mt. Vernon was here Monday and secured license to marry Miss Fannie Mullins, of the same place, at East Bernstadt that evening.—London. Local.

To this splendid young couple we extend our best wishes and join with their many friends in hearty congratulations.

Lester Coffey, a son of W. W. Coffey, of Wildie, who has been working at the carpenter trade, at Eureka, Colo. for the past year, fell last Saturday from derick and died a few hours later from the effects of the injuries. His remains are expected to arrive at Wildie to day for burial.

The Interior Journal announces the candidacy of Mr. W. D. Wallin as a candidate for assessor of Lincoln. Dud is another one of those Rockcastle citizens and democrats, that it will do to tie to, and if honored by the voters of the county, Lincoln will never have cause to regret the choice.

Sparks & Davis have received notice that for the next few weeks, that six cars of ballast will be all that the railroad will use and the indications are that it will only be a short time until they will be closed down until Spring. A small crew will work all winter however getting ready for next season, as they are expecting a big run next year.

C. D. Sutton is soon to open up a line of general merchandise in the old building near the depot. The room will be remodeled and repaired. Cossie, as he is called, is one of our most popular young men, and his ability as a salesman has long since been demonstrated by the valuable service rendered in U. G. Baker's mammoth store where he has been a clerk for several years. We wish him much success.

The reception at Langdon dormitory, Tuesday afternoon and evening, was one of the most enjoyable events of the season. On account of the rain, many were prevented from going, who had intended to be present. After all had had the pleasure of meeting Miss McCord the principal and her splendid corps of teachers, the guests were invited to partake of the delightful refreshment, which had been prepared for the occasion.

The people of Mt. Vernon have always felt a very great interest in the success of the Brown Memorial and likewise those interested in it, and that co operative feeling which seems to exist between teachers and patrons, bespeaks a united effort and we believe a glorious success for the school, Miss McCord the principal seems in every particular the one for the place and with a continuance of the hearty support, which she is receiving at the hands of the people in general, the Brown Memorial must flourish.

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Thanksgiving will soon be here, are you prepared to dress up? If not see Fish about that new Suit.

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There is some talk of The Bank of Mt. Vernon purchasing from the Masons the vacant lot on the West side of Fish's store and erecting the first story for a bank building. No definite steps have as yet been taken.

## POSTED.

We whose names appear below strictly forbid any hunting on our land and will prosecute all violators of same.  
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Nancy P. Smith.

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF ROCKCASTLE:—I have decided, after some solicitation, to offer myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for County Court Clerk. I come as a Republican asking the support of my fellow countrymen. I have never sought office and never held any except that which I now hold, Magistrate. Should the Republicans of the county see fit in your good judgment to honor me, I will promise to make a true and faithful officer.

Yours very truly,  
GEORGE R. ROBINSON.

## NOTICE TO DEMOCRATS!

The Democrats of Rockcastle County are requested to meet in the several precincts of Rockcastle County, at their respective voting places, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday Nov. 21st 1908, for the purpose of electing a Democratic Precinct Committeeman for each election precinct; and the Precinct Committeemen so elect meet in the Court-house at Mt. Vernon, Ky. on Monday Nov. 23rd, 1908, for the purpose of organizing, electing a County Chairman and for such other duties as may come before them. The Democrats of each precinct are urgently requested to meet at their respective precinct voting places, select one of their best men for Precinct Committeeman and send him to the county seat on Monday following to reorganize the County Committee.

Very truly,  
JONAS MCKENZIE, Chm.

John Owens has move from the Oak Hill section to Mareburg.

Albert Hamlin has sold his interests in Tennessee and returned to Mt. Vernon. We are glad to know that Mr. Hamlin has profited so greatly by his venture, having sold his contract, teams, etc., for \$9,000. May & Co., of Oliver Springs, Tenn., being the purchasers. Mr. Hamlin is what we call a real hustler and his many warm friends are glad to see him succeed.

Mrs. Nancy J. Squires, of Morgantown, W. Va., a deputy state officer of the Lady Macabees is in town this week in the interest of the Hive at this place. Several new members have been added and there will be a meeting at the Masonic hall this afternoon, and the initiation of the new members. It is expected that several will join and the lodge again put on a good working basis.

George Owens, the Monument man, has added to his shop a machine for cutting stone, by means of compressed air. George is doing well and deserves to prosper. By reason of this new addition he will be able to turn out more than twice as much work as in the past, and when it comes to quality of workmanship, there is no question. He is a good workman and never leaves a job until his customer is thoroughly satisfied.

NARROW ESCAPE:—Miss Keys, the music teacher of the Brown Memorial school, came near being seriously injured by being thrown from a horse Saturday afternoon. It was Miss Keys first experience horse-back riding and it seems from the best information obtainable, that the horse made a sudden stop, when Miss Keys went over the horses head, striking the ground, on her face, causing a rather ugly wound just above the left eye and near the temple. For several hours was partially unconscious and it was feared that her injury might prove fatal. We are glad to say however that she is very much improved and will soon be able to resume her work in the school.

LAUNDRY:—Leave your laundry at J. Fish's store. Basket goes out every Tuesday and back Thursday.

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WANTED:—Red oak and white oak spokes in car load lots at any itation on the L. & N. between Jellico, Tenn., and Berea, on the K. C. branch or Crab Orchard on the K. D. Red oak strictly second growth. White oak that shows a good annual growth and of good weight. Dimensions 3 deep, 2 inches on heart 28 inches long. Will give \$20 for White oak and \$17 for Red oak on any yard between points mentioned.  
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WANTED:—SUCCESS MAGAZINE requires the services of a man in Mt. Vernon to look after expiring subscriptions and to secure new business by means of special methods usually effective; position permanent; prefer one with experience but would consider any applicant with good natural qualifications; salary \$1.50 per day, with commission option. Address with references R. C. Peacock, Room 102, Success Magazine Bldg., New York.

## BROWN MEMORIAL SCHOOL

We appreciate the kindness and sympathy of all in Miss Key's accident. We are glad to say that she is making a good recovery.

The Intermediate and Primary grades were entertained at the Dormitory last Friday afternoon.

There will be a Lowell Program at the Literary Society to-day. It will open with quotations from every member of the Society.

The Vision of Sie Launfal.

Will Kirby.

Lowell's Life and Work.

Maud Fleenor.

Reading, The Changeling.

Anna Mae Miller.

Recitation, The Heritage.

Louis Miller.

Recitation, The Courting.

Ray Miller.

The entertainment given Saturday evening by Miss Barbee, the noted impersonator in negro dialect stories, assisted by the Glee Club, was enjoyed by an appreciative audience. We hope to have her with us next spring.

John W. Kern Monday made formal announcement of his candidacy for United States Senator.

On the face of official returns in Indiana, the Republicans win all the State offices below Governor, except two. Democrats claim they have evidence to show where grave frauds have been committed.

## GREAT MUSIC OFFER

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Will H. Taft, already spoken of as "President elect," although the electors chosen are yet far from having fulfilled their function, will remain most of this week at Hot Springs, Va. Mr. Taft is expected in New York City on Saturday to be the central figure at the dedication of the monument erected in Brooklyn to the memory of the "Prison Ship Martyrs."

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## FORMER SENATOR CARMACK KILLED

NOTED EDITOR AND STATESMAN, IS SLAIN IN A THREE-CORNERED STREET DUEL.

### CAUSTIC CRITICISM OF PARTY MACHINE IS CAUSE

Son of Col. Duncan B. Cooper, Well-Known Politician, Fired Fatal Shots—Shooting Has Thrown South into Great Excitement.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Former United States Senator Edward W. Carmack was shot three times and instantly killed by Robin Cooper, son of Col. Duncan B. Cooper, in a three-cornered duel between father, son and the former senator on Seventh avenue, immediately in front of the Polk flats here, at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Young Cooper was shot in an arm, but was not seriously wounded.

The tragedy was the result of editorial attacks which had been made on Col. Cooper in the Tennesseean, edited by Senator Carmack.

The stories of the tragedy are conflicting. One of these is that Senator Carmack was walking down the street with Mrs. Charles H. Eastman when he was approached by Col. Cooper and his son, who drew their revolvers as soon as they saw Carmack.

Reports, which have spread broadcast over the town Monday night, are that Senator Carmack stepped behind the woman when he saw the two men approach.

When Carmack stepped out the young man began to fire. Three bullets took effect, two of them under the heart and within an inch of each other, and the third in the neck.

Mr. Carmack had been warned, that Col. Cooper would resent newspaper ridicule if continued, and was armed with a revolver, two chambers of which he emptied.

Mr. Carmack had left his office and was going to his apartments on Seventh avenue. Col. Cooper and son were coming down the avenue. As they approached, Mr. Carmack was talking with Mrs. Eastman. The last words ever spoken by him were to her.

Mrs. Eastman said that when Mr. Carmack was addressed by the Coopers he immediately jumped to one side so as to be clear of her.

"Several shots rang out in rapid succession," said Mrs. Eastman, "and Senator Carmack whirled around and seemed to catch at an electric light pole, but, missing this in his reach, fell in a heap in the gutter just at the edge of the sidewalk. He fell somewhat on his right side, and was lying on his back with his head raised to his face. His revolver fell to the ground at the side of him, and was picked up and turned over to the police."

Mr. Carmack in all probability was dead when he fell, as three bullets had been fired into his body.

The trouble is one of the results of the recent Democratic gubernatorial primary in which Mr. Carmack was defeated. Mr. Carmack, as editor of The Tennesseean, was very caustic in criticism of what he called the Democratic machine, and had several editorials about Col. Cooper.

### FORMER PRESIDENT ADLER.

Of the Wrecked New Orleans Bank, Returns From Honduras.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 10.—As William A. Adler, former president of the defunct State National bank of New Orleans, walked down the gang plank of the steamer Ellis, when he arrived from Honduras late Monday afternoon, many of his old friends threw their arms around his neck and kissed him on the cheek, and a crowd of several thousand men and women who had gathered to witness his arrival cheered him repeatedly.

Adler is returning to New Orleans in the face of a federal indictment charging that he misappropriated \$228,000 of the State bank's funds, and he had to sooner greet his friends than to United States Marshal Lohse placed him under arrest.

Adler left New Orleans last December on an old freight steamer, the Alps, which he had loaded with a full cargo of provisions from the Adler Wholesale Grocery Co. The affairs of the State National bank were later liquidated and Adler was indicted in the United States court on 74 different counts for misappropriating its funds, while the grocery company went into the hands of receivers.

The Alps was wrecked off the coast of Honduras and Adler narrowly escaped death, but finally got safely ashore. He is said to have recouped his failed fortunes by means of Honduras mining properties and other ventures.

**Forest Fires Doing Great Damage.** Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Forest fires are doing great damage in this state, Western Kentucky and Alabama. Timber amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars has been destroyed during the past 10 days.

**Former Legislator Dead.** Cedar Rapids, Ia., Nov. 10.—John W. Henderson died Sunday night, aged 89 years. He served eight years in the Iowa state senate and had served in the legislature of Illinois while a resident of that state.

### A VALUABLE TIP.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on take a few doses of Foley's Honey and Tar and it will expel the cold from your system. It cures the most stubborn coughs and colds, and prevents pneumonia.

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## NEW YORK POSTMASTER SHOT

GUN USER THEN TURNED IT ON HIMSELF AND FALLS DEAD.

Little Daughter of Official Sees Tragedy That Stirred Gotham—Morgan Will Recover.

New York, Nov. 9.—Edward M. Morgan, postmaster of New York city, was shot and fatally wounded by a man who accosted him near his home, at 146th street and Broadway. The assassin, who was identified as Eric H. Mackay, stenographer, then blew out his own brains.

The only theory the police offer for the crime is that Mackay at one time suffered as the result of Postmaster Morgan's investigation of dishonesty in connection with the work of the postal clerks in this city.

Morgan was accompanied by his 12-year-old daughter when he left home, and was nearing the subway entrance when Mackay walked across the street toward him.

"Is this Mr. Morgan?" he asked, and the little girl moved on a few feet.

"Yes, I am Mr. Morgan," she heard her father say, and then she saw Mackay press a pistol against her father's stomach and fire. As the postmaster fell, his assassin placed the gun against his own forehead and blew a hole through the top of his head.

The tragedy was over in a minute. Morgan, unconscious and badly wounded, was at once taken home.

Indications that Mackay had been plotting the murder of Morgan was obtained by a card in his clothing. It was the business card of Hunt, Hill & Betts, attorneys, 165 Broadway, and on it was written in pencil:

"In the event of an accident, please notify the above firm."

He was operated on by Dr. Erdman at 10 o'clock. It was found his intestines had not been perforated by Mackay's bullet, and he is thought to have a good chance for recovery.

### GOVERNORS AGAIN TO MEET.

Invitations Again Sent Out By Conservation Committee.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Invitations to a second meeting in Washington of the governors, or their representatives, have been sent out by the national conservation committee. The date announced is December 1, the first general meeting of the commission itself for organization.

At the forthcoming meeting the governors will discuss the work which the national conservation commission has been carrying on during the summer and fall.

The outcome of this work is the first thorough inventory of the nation's natural resources the federal government has ever made. The inventory is now practically complete and most of the summaries on the waters, forests, lands and minerals of the United States have been handed in by the experts who have been steadily working on them for nearly five months.

### NOTORIOUS DIVORCE MILL

Of South Dakota Has Been Completely Wiped Out By Vote.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Nov. 9.—In the referendum of last Tuesday the people of South Dakota have voted overwhelmingly to end South Dakota's famous divorce mill. After the state canvassing board meets at Pierre the first week of next month and announces officially that the new law has been approved, it will be no longer possible for the discontented wives and husbands of the whole world to come to South Dakota, and, by spending six months, obtain a secret hearing, freedom and the right to engage in more marriages.

The 12 largest counties in the state in the law stands, yes, 15,805; no, 10,189.

The new law provides that the plaintiff in an action for divorce must have been an actual resident in good faith of this state for one year and of the county where an action is commenced for three months preceding the suit.

### Thugs Were Busy.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 9.—During Saturday night four persons were found unconscious in the streets of this city, having been knocked in the head by thugs. One of the victims, Charles Baggett, a negro, died. B. L. Owens, a white farmer, had his head cut open. He said a negro struck him and robbed him. The last victim was a negro woman, who was found on East Ninth street with a ghastly cut in the center of her forehead.

**Sentenced To Eight Years in Prison.** Denver, Col., Nov. 9.—John E. Gooding, president of the defunct State Bank of Rockyford, Col., was sentenced to serve eight to ten years in state prison. He had been convicted on charges of making unlawful use of the bank's funds and receiving deposits after he knew the bank to be insolvent.

**Killed the Shipwrecked.** Amoy, Nov. 9.—The bodies of 78 of the 200 victims of the wreck of the small steamer, which occurred near Tungan, have been brought here. Some of them were killed while in the water by piratical boatmen, intent on robbery.

### Wright's Luck.

Paris, Nov. 9.—The nomination of Wilbur Wright, the American aviator, will go before the grand council of the Legion of Honor Monday, and he will probably be included in the new year's list of decorations.

### NO CASE ON RECORD.

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. Chas. C. Davis.

## FIRE HEMMED WOMAN IN.

Mrs. Lohmeyer, Aged and Ill, Rescued After Hard Work.

Newport, Ky.—A fire, which is believed to have been caused by misplaced matches, broke out in the little cottage in the rear of E. G. Lohmeyer's jewelry store, York street, and it was only with the greatest difficulty that his aged mother, who occupied the house, was rescued from the flames.

The fire was discovered in the early morning by a neighbor, who aroused Mr. Lohmeyer and his family.

When Mr. Lohmeyer and Patrolman Kees went back to rescue Mrs. Lohmeyer, the side of the building was a mass of flames and she was hemmed in her room by the stifling smoke and almost suffocated.

They fought their way to her and lifted her through a window to safety. Mrs. Lohmeyer is past 80 years old.

### ON ROAD TO CHURCH

Kentucky Feud Was Reopened and Two Didn't Worship.

Lexington, Ky.—The Ross-Angel feud, which raged for several years in Lee county, but which has been smoldering for the past three years, was reopened at Heidelberg, that county, and Ephraim Angel is dead and Harvey Ross is at the point of death, each being the victim of the other.

The men met within sight of a small church, for which both were bound, and before the friends were aware of trouble bullets began to fly, and neither was able to reach the house of worship.

Lee county has been free of feud fights for several years, but it is feared the killing will again throw the two factions into a turmoil.

**Valuable Property Illegally Held.** Louisville, Ky.—Thirty suits, by which the Louisville school board lays claim to property worth about \$800,000 in various parts of the city and county held to be illegally held by corporations, were filed in the circuit court.

It is claimed that the defendant corporations have violated the constitution by attempting to hold this property for more than five years when they made no use of it in the discharge of their business.

**Republicans Carry Ninth and Tenth.** Louisville, Ky.—Late returns from the state would indicate that the democratic majority in the Third district is not in excess of 500, while it appears that the Ninth is republican by 500 and the Tenth by 1,000. Ben Johnson's majority in the Fourth will not be as large as at first reported, and an estimate of 10,000 on the entire state is now conceded to the democrats.

**Democrats Carried Paducah.** Paducah, Ky.—The entire democratic municipal ticket won easily. The interest in this ticket centered in the offices of jailer and treasurer.

The election of a democratic treasurer means a lawsuit to oust the present treasurer, John J. Dorian, a republic. Defeat of the \$100,000 school bond issue probably means the closing of the schools by the first of the year.

### To Test Poolroom Law.

Newport, Ky.—A new plan of action to test the new poolroom law was started in the Campbell circuit court by Bernero and Ehrlich, under 55 separate indictments for operating a pool room. They ask the court to set for immediate trial only one of the indictments. Objection was at once raised by the commonwealth.

**Government Seizes Goods.** Covington, Ky.—Deputy United States Marshal Emmett Orr and Food and Drug Inspector W. T. Ford, upon an order from the United States court seized 183 cases, each containing two dozen cans of peas, from a wholesale grocer. It is alleged that each can showed a shortage in weight.

### Hung Jury.

Covington, Ky.—The hearing of the trial of Samuel Lunsford against the Hatfield Coal Co., in which the plaintiff asked for \$1,900 damages, said to have been sustained at the hands of H. C. Hatfield, superintendent of the defendant company, resulted in a hung jury.

### Has Leg Amputated.

Cadiz, Ky.—Charles Aldridge, 20 while returning from a political meeting, had the misfortune to get his left leg broken near the ankle, and the bone was so badly broken that the limb had to be amputated. His horse became frightened and turned the buggy over.

### Not Missing Student.

Lexington, Ky.—A telegram from Russellville, Ky., says that the man held there suspected of being Willis Smith, the student who has been missing for several weeks, admitted he is not the missing boy.

**Arraigned on Charge of Murder.** Covington, Ky.—Peris Simpson, of Harrodsburg, was arraigned before County Judge Stephens in connection with the finding of the headless body of Scipio Noble, of Jackson. He was charged with wilful murder.

### A GOOD LINIMENT.

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**Nat. C. Goodwin,** the comedian, and Miss Edna Goodrich, the well-known actress, were married Monday afternoon in Boston at the home of Mrs. Goodwin, the comedian's mother.

## DECLARES HELL IS FULL.

U. emotional Mr. Hunt R. Maner, nearly frightened him out of his wits when the spirit of a mid-dress named "Rita" caused him to record her hair-raising confession on the planchette board held in his unaccustomed hands is now deeply impressed with the occult.

His experience and those of three others, composing a group who gathered about the table, are related in the November number of the Journal of the American Society for Psychical Research Prof. James H. Hyslop, Secretary of the society, and also editor of the publication, says in one of the notes that Mr. Maner for the first time in his life took the planchette and began to move it about so that its pencil foot could leave its tracks on paper.

In doing so Mr. Maner discovered quite unexpectedly, skeptic as he was, that he had the gift of automatic writing. The sittings took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Cowper, in a New Jersey town, the name of which is withheld for the present. Several hours had passed with experiments, and the amateur was pleased, and interested, although somewhat fatigued, when the question was asked of the spirit: "Won't you tell us who you are?"

"Rita, Rita," was the instant reply, as the planchette began to ravel about in an agitated manner. "We are all in hell—hell—hell. Hell is full!"

When one of the sitters inquired there was any thing that could be done to aid the unfortunate spirit, the board again showed signs of excitement.

"It will take a long time" was the reply, "to wipe my child's blood from my hands."

Asked by one of the sisters if any help could be given, the spirit answered in the negative.

"You starved me and killed my child" was the response, "but I will get light."

All four of the experimenters by this time were deeply agitated.

"Mr. Maner himself, to quote the account, who is a singularly robust man, confessed to cold chills running up and down his spinal column. A normal, healthy child, who was soundly sleeping in a room above, woke up screaming loudly."

All the company hastily adjourned for the night.

Other tests indicated that the spirits were around and could see, for no sooner had a kitten been placed on the table than the planchette wrote, "Mew, mew, mew!"

**PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD.**

but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and prevents pneumonia.

It is currently reported in the financial district of New York that the Government will within a very short time offer \$50,000,000 in Panama Canal 2 per cent. bonds.

In a feudal war at Campton Junction Ky., caused by election whis-ky and family troubles, Islow Allen was killed and two other men were shot, one perhaps fatally.

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## PROGRAM

For Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Executive Board of the Rockcastle Association to be held with the Sinking Valley Baptist church on Saturday and Sunday Nov. 28th and 29th. 1908.

1. Singing, by home class.
2. Meeting called to order by Chairman, H. C. Gentry.
3. Devotional exercises, by Rev. C. C. Wilson.
4. Welcome address, by Rev. Noah Roberts.
5. Response by Rev. Jas. Barnes.
6. Discourse, from Hebrews 6:4, by Rev. Dock Gooch.
7. Discourse, Hebrews 2:9, by Rev. Godby.
8. Discourse, Revelations 20:5, Rev. C. C. Metcalf.
9. Discourse, Revelations 20:7, Rev. James Barnes.
10. Discourse, Ephesians, 5:27, Rev. A. J. Pike.
11. G. E. Painter, on the "Best method of gaining attendance at Sunday-school", open for general discussion.

W. M. HURST, Sec'y.

Mr. Taft's informal utterance to the effect that he expected to see Congress pass a postal savings bill, adds interest to the meeting this week in Washington of the National Monetary Commission, to continue until the short session of Congress begins. The commission has given special attention to the subject of postal savings banks in England and France.

## LINGERING COLD.

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The sixty seventh annual convention of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity will be opened at New Haven, on Wednesday with Phi Chapter, of Yale, the parent chapter, as host. It is forty-six years since the convention has been held at Yale.

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